PTO/SB/08A (10-01)
Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031
Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Complete if Known Substitute for form 1449A/PTO 5802 Applicati n/C nf. N . 10/644,158 INFORMATION DISCLOSURE Filing Date August 20, 2003 First Named Invent r Shahin Toutounchi STATEMENT BY APPLICANT Art Unit (use as many sheets as necessary) Nnitmore **Examiner Name** Unknown Attorney Docket Number Sheet of X-1242 US

DEC 2 3 2003

PARTIE MADEINE

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner	Cite No.1	Oocument Number Number - Kind Code (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Floures Appear			
NW.		US- 5,278,841	01-11-94	Myers	T TUMES SHIPMAN			
AW		US- 6,594,610 B1	07-15-03	Toutounchi et al.				
77		US-						
7	$\overline{}$	US-						
		US-						
		US-						
		US-						
		US-						
		US-						
		US-			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
		US-	-/					
		US-						
		0S-						
		US-	<u></u>					
		US-						
	'	US-						
		US-	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·					
		LUS-						
<u>-</u> -	$\overline{}$	US-						
- 		US-						

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS										
Examiner Initials *	Cite No.	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	ް				
		Country Code ^{3 -Number ⁴ -Kind Code ⁵ (if known)}								
	<u> </u>				Ţ	+				
						-				
	├—					+-				
ļ <u>-</u>	 				 	+-				
	├┈					╌				
	 				· 	╁				
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	 		-			1				
		/								
<u> </u>	:	10.0-11		Tp-1 7						
Exam Signa		May Alas		Date Considered 2/3	20105					

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia, 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia, 22313-1450.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kinds of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ³ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁴ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.